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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Srinivas Gutta, et al.
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For:	:	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING A MEDIA PLAYER BASED ON USER ACTIVITY
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 09, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

**CLAIM AMENDMENTS** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS** begin on page 9 of this paper.